

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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**IN A MULTIPROCESSOR SYSTEM** ) Conf. No. 5146

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**AMENDMENT AFTER ALLOWANCE UNDER 37 CFR 1.312**

Sir:

Attached herewith is an amendment after allowance pursuant to 37 CFR 1.312.  
Entry of the amendment is respectfully requested.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.